



GENERAL INFORMATION

INVITATION RUSSIAN OPEN GRAND PRIX 2014

22 – 27 July 2014, Vladivostok

(www.bwfbadminton.org)

Prize money – 50 000 USD

ORGANIZER:

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www.primbadminton.ru

DATES: 22 - 27 July 2014

VENUE: Competition - Sport Hall «OLYMPIC», Batareinaya str. 2, Vladivostok –
city, 4 courts; Practice - Sports Hall, Campus FEFU, Russky Island

REFEREE : Mojmir Hnilica (CZE), Email: mojmir.hnilica@seznam.cz;
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PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE:

Day	Date	Play
Monday	21.07.2014	Arrival and team managers meeting, Practice
Tuesday	22.07.2014	Qualification Rounds
Wednesday	23.07.2014	Main Draws
Thursday	24.07.2014	Main Draws
Friday	25.07.2014	All Quarter-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Saturday	26.07.2014	All Semi-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Sunday	27.07.2014	All Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)

ENTRY MAXIMUM: The maximum number of main draw entrants will be 64 in men's singles and 32 in all other events. Qualification matches will be played if required on Tuesday - July 22. The Main draw will start on Wednesday - July 23, with finals on Sunday - July 27.

Event	Entries- Main Draw		No. Of Entries – Qualifying draw
	Direct	Qualifiers	
Men`s Singles	56	8	64
Women`s Singles	28	4	32
Men`s Doubles	28	4	32
Women`s Doubles	28	4	32
Mixed Doubles	28	4	32

Entry DEADLINE: Tuesday June 24, 2014 at 23.59 hours BWF headquarters time, (+0800GMT Hours)

BWF is implementing the Online Entry System for this tournament and we seek your cooperation to ensure all entries are submitted before the closing date.

Member Associations are advised to log Russian Grand Prix Open 2014 at: <http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=74C29B3C-0704-441D-9C97-0D0005B97ED9> and submit the entries by Online.

You require a BWF username and password to submit your entries. This can be obtained by contacting S. Ramachandran at: s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org.

The online entry page will immediately close on Tuesday June 24, 2014 at 23:59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time.

Late entries will not be accepted.

No entry forms are required by Member Associations to submit by online entry. Entry forms are only for Russian players.

INTERNATIONAL ENTRIES: National associations should list their players according to strength in the online entry system.

RUSSIAN BADMINTON FEDERATION ENTRIES:

All entries for Russian players should be sent to the National Badminton Federation of Russia by **23 June 2014**.

Phone /fax: 007 495 637-92-04, info@badm.ru, www.badm.ru

Phone /fax: 007 423 243-22-04, baevsn@mail.ru, www.primbadminton.ru

SEEDINGS AND DRAWS:

Entries Close: Tuesday June 24, 2014 at 23.59 hours BWF headquarters time, (+0800 GMT Hours)

World Ranking Date for M & Q: Thursday **June 26, 2014**

M & Q Publish on BWF website: Friday **June 27, 2014**

World Ranking Date for Seeding: Thursday **July 3, 2014**
 Seeding Publish on BWF website: Friday **July 4, 2014**
 Last Date of Withdrawal (without penalty): Sunday **July 6, 2014**
 Draw Date: Tuesday **July 8, 2014**

PRIZE MONEY:

There will be USD\$50,000 in prize money at the Russian Open Grand Prix 2014. The prize money will be allocated in accordance with BWF rules governing Grand Prix events.

	Event	Champion	Runner-up	Semi-finals	Quarter-finals	Last 16
*	Men`s Single	USD\$3,750 (1)	USD\$1,900 (1)	USD\$725 (2)	USD\$300 (4)	USD\$175 (8)
*	Women`s Single					
**	Men`s Doubles					
**	Women`s Doubles	USD\$3,950 (1)	USD\$1900 (1)	USD\$1,400 (2)	USD\$1450 (4)	USD\$1500 (8)
**	Mixed Doubles					

*Per player ** Per Pair

SHUTTLECOCKS:

The Yonex Aerosensa 50, S2 and 3 is the official shuttlecock for the Russian Open Grand Prix 2014. Practice shuttlecocks will be available at minimal cost from the supplier at the competition venue.

CONDITIONS:

Tournament will be held in full accordance with the BWF Rules, Competitions Regulations Grand Prix.

TEAM MANAGERS MEETING: The Team managers' meeting will be held at the FEFU Hotel, Russky Island Campus, on Monday July 21, at 8:00 pm. The Technical Officials meeting will be held immediately after the Team managers' meeting.

It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting. Failing to attend the meeting member associations will be fined as regulation Part III Section 1B, Appendix 11 "Offences and Penalties". Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee knows in

advance that is acceptable.

CLOTHING:

Competitors are advised that clothing and advertising contained therein must conform to BWF regulations and Grand Prix Events regulations.

TRANSPORT:

Transport will be provided between the New Vladivostok International Airport, the railway station, and sea port. Transport between the official hotels and sport hall will also be provided.

VISA APPLICATION:

All players and officials who require a visa to enter Russia should submit passport details in the prescribed form to the following Email: **baevsv@mail.ru**, or fax +7 **423 243-22-04** by Saturday June 21, 2014. Please complete all required information, otherwise we will not be able to issue the official invitation letter (for visa application).

TEAM ACCREDITATION:

Please submit your players' and officials' passport size

Photographs in **jpeg** format to the following Email: **baevsn@mail.ru**, no later than **July 8, 2014**. Team officials' names must be listed out in the prescribed form and also send to **baevsn@mail.ru** before **June 24, 2014**.

PRACTICE SESSIONS:

The Organizing Committee will arrange a practice schedule according to the size and arrival time of each team. Practice sessions can be arranged on arrival upon request through the Tournament Secretariat and will be subject to court availability.

ACCOMODATION:

The official hotel: Russky Island Campus FEFU, Vladivostok, Phone /fax: 007 423 265-22-24, 265-22-29; www.dvfu.ru

Room Rates:

Hotel	Room Type	Price (USD)	Note
Equator***	SR	100	Breakfast incl, Wi-Fi Free Internet
	DR	125	
FEFU**** Russky Island	SR	150	Breakfast incl, Free Internet
	DR	180	
Hyundai*****	SR	250	Breakfast incl, Free Internet
	DR	270	

DRUG TESTING:

Dope Testing will be carried out by a random and targeted sample system according to BWF regulations.

Local time between Moscow and Vladivostok is 7 hours.

WELCOME TO THE RUSSIAN OPEN 2014 IN VLADIVOSTOK!